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BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

In the matter of:

Venice Main Post Office Venice, California 90291 (Mark Ryavec and Venice Stakeholders Association, Petitioners)

Docket No. A2012-17

MOTION RENEWING REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE PETITIONERS' INITIAL BRIEF

Pursuant to Rule 16 of the Postal Regulatory Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, petitioners Venice Stakeholders Association and Mark Ryavec (collectively "Petitioners"), by counsel, respectfully move for an extension of four days until December 9, 2011 in which to file their initial brief. Petitioners believe good cause exists for an extension and that it will not cause prejudice to any party.

As Petitioners explained in their previous motions, Petitioners cannot complete their initial brief without a reasonable amount of time to consider and incorporate the administrative record. Although the Postal Service was ordered to produce the

administrative record by November 28, it did not produce it until December 2. As a

result of this delay, good cause exists to grant an extension to ensure that Petitioners

are not prejudiced by the Postal Service's delay by allowing Petitioners one week to

review and incorporate the administrative record into the initial brief.

The Postal Service will not be prejudiced in any way by this minor extension.

Indeed, it advocated for this exact extension in its November 28, 2011 motion

requesting an extension of time to file the administrative record.

Petitioners also note that this minor extension should not cause any

inconvenience to the Commission as there still appears to be adequate time to fully

consider this case before the 120 day decision deadline expires on February 14, 2012.

WHEREFORE, Petitioners respectfully request that the Commission consider

Petitioners initial brief filed on or before December 9, 2011 as timely.

DATED: December 5, 2011

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